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INSTRUMENTS – CONTROLS

Advanced electronic techniques have enabled many new features and refinements to be incorporated into the Jaguar XK8.




Whilst the basic functions of instruments, switches and controls will be familiar, this section will help the driver make full and safe use of all the vehicle's systems and features.

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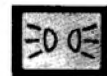
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Warning Light	Message	Priority Indicator	Meaning
 Check Engine	None	None	Lights up when the ignition is switched ON and remains on until the engine is started.
 Anti-lock Braking (ABS)	None	None	<p>Lights up if a fault has been detected in the ABS system. The brake system will continue to function normally but without ABS braking.</p> <p>Should the light come on or stay on after the bulb check cycle, stop the vehicle at the first opportunity, turn the engine OFF and then restart.</p> <p>If the warning light comes on again, consult a Jaguar Dealer immediately.</p> <p>The vehicle may be driven to a Jaguar Dealer if the ABS warning light is ON, but must not be driven if the brake warning light is ON.</p>
 Seat Belt	None	None	<p>Lights up when the ignition is ON and the driver's seat belt is not fastened.</p> <p>Taiwan and Middle East Markets Only</p> <p>Lights up for six seconds when the ignition is switched ON and the driver's seat belt is not fastened. An audible warning sounds for six seconds.</p> <p>Note: Ensure seat belts are fastened before driving. If the warning light stays ON with the seat belt fastened, report the fault to a Jaguar Dealer. It is safe to drive the vehicle with the light ON, provided that the seat belts are properly fastened.</p>





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Warning Light	Message	Priority Indicator	Meaning
 Airbag	None	None	<p>When the ignition switch is turned to position 'II', the warning light comes ON for five seconds.</p> <p>If the airbag system develops a fault, the warning light will come ON and remain on until the fault has been diagnosed and cleared.</p> <p>Report the fault to a Jaguar Dealer immediately. It is safe to drive the vehicle; however, in an accident the airbags may not operate.</p>
 Headlamp Main Beam	None	None	<p>Lights up when the headlamps are on main beam.</p>
 Brake (UK Market)  Brake Other Markets	LOW BRAKE FLUID	Red	<p>Lights up when the ignition is ON if the handbrake is applied and/or the brake fluid is low.</p> <p>If the light is ON with the handbrake NOT applied, low brake fluid is indicated. In this case, loss of braking assistance in either or both brake circuits may be imminent.</p> <p> WARNING: DO NOT drive the vehicle until the fault is rectified. Consult a Jaguar Dealer immediately.</p>
 Sidelights	None	None	<p>Lights up when the sidelights are switched ON.</p>

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 <p>Direction Indicator Tell-tale (left and right)</p>	None	None	<p>The appropriate indicator tell-tale will flash when the column switch is moved up or down to signal a right or left-hand turn.</p> <p>If a direction indicator fails, the tell-tale will flash and the audible warning will sound at twice normal rate when that indicator is selected. Fit a new bulb immediately. See Bulb Renewal in SECTION 5 of the Vehicle Care Handbook.</p> <p>Hazard Warning Indicators</p> <p>When the hazard warning switch is selected, both direction indicator tell-tales will flash, simultaneously with all direction indicators, and repeaters (where fitted).</p>
 <p>Overspeed Warning Indicator (Middle East markets only)</p>	None	None	Lights up if the vehicle speed exceeds 120 km/h (75 mph).
 <p>Low Fuel Level</p>	None	None	Lights up to indicate low fuel level. This warning light is additional to the fuel level gauge and will come ON when the fuel has fallen to approximately 10 litres (2.2 gallons).

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Warning Light	Message	Priority Indicator	Meaning
 Low Oil Pressure	LOW OIL PRESSURE	Red	<p>Lights up when the ignition switch is in position 'II' and should go out when the engine is running. If the light is ON when the engine is running, loss of oil pressure is indicated. Stop the engine immediately and investigate the cause. Do not restart until the fault has been rectified.</p> <p>First check the engine oil level. See Checking and Replenishment in SECTION 3 of the Vehicle Care Handbook.</p>
 Ignition (Charge Warning)	BATTERY NOT CHARGING	Red	<p>Lights up when the ignition switch is in position 'II' and should go out when the engine is running. If the light stays ON when the engine is running it indicates either high or low battery voltage or that the alternator is faulty.</p> <p>Stop the engine and investigate the cause.</p>
 High Coolant Temperature	None	None	<p>Lights up if the engine coolant temperature becomes too high (gauge pointer in the red segment). It is unsafe to run the engine with the coolant temperature overheated.</p> <p>If the light comes ON, stop the vehicle and switch the engine OFF. Allow the engine to cool. Report the fault to a Jaguar Dealer.</p> <p> WARNING: Do not attempt to remove the pressure cap from the coolant expansion tank until the engine is cool.</p>